

# FIRE RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE

Due to extreme fire danger within the Ochoco National Forest fire restrictions have been established as follows:

Beginning, Tuesday, August 21, 2012, **campfires, warming fires and cooking fires, including charcoal fires are prohibited** except in established fire rings at the following Forest Service posted, developed and designated campgrounds:

Barnhouse, Cottonwood Pit, Salter's Cabin, Sugar Creek, Wolf Creek, Antelope Reservoir, Wildcat, Walton Lake, Deep Creek, Ochoco Forest Camp, and Ochoco Divide.

Portable cooking stoves using liquefied or bottled fuel are allowed.

**Smoking is restricted** to enclosed vehicles or buildings, boats on lakes, developed campgrounds, or while in an area at least three feet in diameter that is clear of all flammable debris.

These restrictions are in accordance with the Code of Federal Regulations 36 CFR 261.50 (a) and (b)

Pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a), the following persons are exempt from this order: 1) Persons with a permit specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission, 2) Persons occupying residences under a Special Use Permit in the area, or 4) Any Federal, State or Local officer, or a member of an organized rescue or firefighting force in the performance of an official duty.

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5,000.00 for an individual or \$10,000 for an organization or imprisonment of not more than 6 months or both (Title 16 USC Section 551 and USC 3559 & 3571).

**24-Hour Fire Precaution Information:**

1-800-523-4737 or

[www.fs.fed.us/r6/centraloregon/fire](http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/centraloregon/fire)

**To Report Fires or Emergencies**

9-1-1 or 1-800-314-2560

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